

Eden Mennonite Church  
Moundridge, Kansas  
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**Prelude** Jill Zerger

**Welcome** Fred Goering

**Call to Worship**

L: Maker of the universe and the hairs of our heads.

You came to us in Jesus Christ and you fill everything with your Spirit.

**P: We come because we need you. We come because we love you.**

L: We come because we trust you to lead us on our life journey.

**P: Challenge and correct us. Heal us and encourage us.**

L: Teach us. Guide us. Renew and refresh us.

**P: May our faith mature in some small way during this hour of worship.**

**We pray in Jesus' name. Amen.**

**Singing** - VT 62, *God is Here Among Us*

**Time with Children** Cheri Kaufman

**Worship Music** *To God Be the Glory*, arr. by Carol McMillen

Trio: Shirley Delk, Cindy Bartel, Becky Setser, accompanied by Brenda Dalke

**Scripture Reading - Matthew 6:19-24** Fred Goering

**Message** Pastor Derek

**Song of Response** - VT 549, *Be Thou My Vision*

**Sharing Joys and Concerns**

**Prayers of the People**

**Worship Music** *Holy, Holy, Holy/He Is Holy*, arr. by Carol McMillen

Trio: Shirley Delk, Cindy Bartel, Becky Setser, accompanied by Brenda Dalke

**Announcements**

**Benediction**

**Sending Song** - VT 809, vs.1,4, *Sing a New World Into Being*

**Postlude**

### **Eden Remember In Prayer**

**Eden delegates to Assembly**, Pastor Dianne and Dennis Schmidt, Perry and June Krehbiel.

**WDC:** Join the Church Planting Commission in praying for WDC congregations to discover new opportunities for bringing healing and hope in their ministry contexts, according to the vision Jesus proclaimed of God's kingdom. Likewise, that God would strengthen or create new connections between older congregations and newer congregations and church plants, so that we may learn from one another.

– Pastor Caleb Yoder

**Pastor Derek** will be on Vacation August 4-13.

**SS Offering** for the summer quarter will be for the Moundridge Food Pantry.

**Today, July 31 from 7-9PM.** Come join others from our congregation for a **swimming party at the Moundridge pool.** If you don't swim, come for the fellowship. Please bring a snack and/or 2 liters of pop. Guests are welcome. For questions, contact Marla or Bret Gillmore. (620) 921-0428.

**The Nursery will be open during church service and Sunday school.** If you are interested in a Sunday school class, summer elective, or teaching in the coming year, please feel free to bring your children to the nursery at any time.

**You can still join one of two-summer elective adult Sunday school classes** *Peaceful Practices* is meeting at the north end of the Fellowship Hall and *History of the Early Church* is meeting in the sanctuary.

**Mark your calendar: On Sunday, August 14 the Mary Martha Circle will be honored** for their years of service during the morning worship service. There will be pie served in Fellowship Hall following the worship service.

**The Education Commission** invites all Junior and Senior Department **Sunday school teachers** and their spouses/families from the past year and those planning to teach in the coming year **to an appreciation lunch after Sunday school on August 21st.** If you will be teaching in the Junior department this coming year, please plan to stay after lunch to receive materials and organize with your fellow teachers for the coming year.

\*\*\***The Church office** is cleaning out items we no longer use. We have an abundance of blank CD's, if you are interested contact Candee at the church office.

**Pine Village** is excited to be able to start in-person events! We will be having our **annual Benefit Day Bierock Fundraiser on August 19th from 5:30p-7p**. We would love for you to join us in person, but if you cannot please consider pre-ordering Bierocks by the half dozen for \$20 or dozen for \$35. **A pre-order form will need to be turned in by Friday, August 10th to Pine Village**. Pre-order pick up will be on August 19th from 3-6pm. Thank you for your support!

**Summer Story Hour--God Rocks!** - All children ages 3-8 in the central Kansas area are invited to God Rocks! Summer Story Hour at the **WDC Conference Resource Library** 2517 N. Main in North Newton. Fun Stories and Activities with Leader, Marjie Warkentine and Resource Library Director, Jennie Wintermote. **Mondays at 10:00am on August 1 & 8**. Register for Story Hour on the WDC website: [wdc@mennowdc.org](mailto:wdc@mennowdc.org)

**Camp Sing on Saturday, August 6, at 2:30pm at Hope Mennonite Church in Wichita!** **Camp Mennoscah** will be celebrating a wonderful summer through song! Everyone is invited to come and sing camp songs (both "traditional" ones from across the years and newer Praise & Worship ones). The final details are yet to be determined, but there will be soda pop--generic or otherwise! Put it on your calendar and come be part of the fun!

**Work & Play Day on August 20!** **Camp Mennoscah** has projects to complete and plenty to do after a busy, fun summer. You are invited to be part of this camping ministry through fellowship and service! Projects for all ages and weather are available. Let us know you're coming so we can be prepared for you! Bring your lunch and a water bottle. The day will start at 8:30 at the maintenance shed. End your day with a leisurely kayak ride or stroll to the sandbar. Contact Olivia at 620-297-3290 or [olivia.bartel@campmennoscah.org](mailto:olivia.bartel@campmennoscah.org) to sign up. Want to volunteer either before or after August 20? Give us a call!

**Life Enrichment returns to Bethel College with the start of the fall 2022 semester** – but It will be ***on a different day***. Life Enrichment resumes **Thursday, Aug. 25**, and will be on Thursdays thereafter. Place and time remain the same: Krehbiel Auditorium, 9:30 a.m. See <https://www.bethelks.edu/academics/convocation-lectures/life-enrichment> for more information and look for a brochure coming soon.

**Sat., Aug. 6 – Kauffman Museum first-Saturday bird walk, 7 a.m. start time** in the museum parking lot at the corner of Main and 27th streets in North Newton. Experienced birders lead a walk of 1-1.5 hours in Chisholm Park and on Sand Creek Trail (terrain is mostly wood-chip path and sometimes uneven/sloping).

**MCC School Kit season is right around the corner!** MCC is working to fulfil requests for school kits from partner organizations in Jordan, Ukraine, Malawi, Syria, Iraq, and Haiti.

Here are some things to keep in mind when making school kits this year:

-Sewn school kit bags may be requested from the MCC Material Resources Center if needed.

-MCC in North Newton has a large supply of pink erasers, so feel free to skip erasers and they'll be added when the kit is checked by volunteers at MCC

-The pencil sharpeners need to be metal, not plastic.

-You can [find the directions for school kits at mcc.org](#), or reach out to Kate at [katemast@mcc.org](mailto:katemast@mcc.org) or 316.283.2720 with any questions.

Thank you so much for your continued work with these important kits!

### **Everence® announces August Medicare workshop date**

Everence will hold its popular Medicare workshop at its **office in North Newton on Tuesday, Aug 9 at 6:30 p.m.** Topics will include, when and where to sign up for Medicare, what Medicare covers, plus an explanation of Medicare Parts A, B, C, and D. The in-person workshop will be held at the Everence office: 3179 N. Main St. Suite 1B, North Newton. Those interested in attending should contact the Everence office at 316-283-3800, 877-467-7294 or [central.kansas@everence.com](mailto:central.kansas@everence.com)

### **Looking Ahead**

**July 31: Today**-Church Pool Party, Moundridge Pool, 7-9PM

**Aug 14:** Mary Martha Circle Celebration during Worship Service. Pie will be served in their honor following the Worship Service in Fellowship Hall

**Aug 21:** SS Teachers Appreciation Lunch

Attendance Last Week: Worship-148; Zoom-10; SS-103 Offering \$4,210.00

#### **Eden Church Office Hours**

**8:00 a.m. to Noon Monday thru Friday**

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